

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Avigdor SCHERZ *et al.*

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For: WATER-SOLUBLE ANIONIC
BACTERIOCHLOROPHYLL
DERIVATIVES AND THEIR USES

Docket No: STEBA-006

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Examiner: Paul V. WARD

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE ACCOMPANYING
REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

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Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

Applicant has considered the Final Office Action mailed April 26, 2010 in the above-captioned application. Reconsideration of the claims in light of the amendments and remarks that follow is requested. Accompanying this paper are:

- (1) a Revocation and new Power of Attorney in favor of the undersigned;
- (2) a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114, with the fee specified at 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e);
- (3) a Supplemental IDS with accompanying substitute 1449; and
- (4) Exhibits A – C to this response.

Amendments to the specification begin at page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the claims begin at page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.